

Heavy Use Area Protection in Benton County

Tired of feeding livestock in the mud? Robert French of Big Sandy, Tennessee was and asked the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) for assistance. James Woodall, District Conservationist met with Mr. French and designed a Heavy Use Area for feeding livestock.

Heavy use area pads reduce soil erosion, improve water quality and livestock health and improve aesthetics.

Mr. French says the Heavy Use Area is working out very well and that he is pleased with the results. French said, "Feeding this winter is a lot better, for both the livestock and me."



Heavy use area on Robert French farm.